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In re application of:	Examiner: Kemmerer, Elizabeth
Audrey GODDARD, et al.	Art Unit: 1646
Application Serial No. 09/909,064	Attorney's Docket No. 39780-1618 P2C78
Filed: July 18, 2001	Customer No. 35489
For: SECRETED AND TRANSMEMBRANE POLYPEPTIDES AND NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING THE SAME	

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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.48(b) AND 37 C.F.R. §1.312

## **Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In the above identified application, a Notice of Allowance was mailed on December 10, 2003, but an issue fee has not been paid. Having reviewed the allowed claims, Applicants have found that as a result of claim amendments made during prosecution, fewer than all of the currently named inventors are the actual inventors of the invention being claimed in the present application. Accordingly, please <u>delete</u> the names of the following inventors, who have not made an inventive contribution to the currently claimed subject matter:

Avi Ashkenazi	Kenneth J. Hillan	
David Botstein	Ivar J. Kljavin	
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Upon entering the present amendment, Audrey Goddard, Paul Godowski, Austin Gurney, William Wood and Sherman Fong remain named inventors in this case.

Although no fees are believed to be due at this time, please charge any fees that might become applicable, including any fees for extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>08-1641</u> (Attorney's Docket No. <u>39780-1618 P2C78</u>). Please direct any calls in connection with this application to the undersigned at the number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: January 15, 2004

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